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For:

**AUTOGENOUS LYMPHATIC FACTOR FOR** 

# MODIFICATION OF T AND B LYMPHOCYTE PARAMETERS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

#### TRANSMITTAL OF NEW DECLARATION

In response to the Office Action mailed June 18, 1999, enclosed herewith is a new Declaration for filing in the above-identified application. Please replace this Declaration for the defective Declaration filed February 9, 1998.

DATE: December 20, 1999

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# DECLARATION FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

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Sir:

As the below named inventors, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office mailing address, and citizenship are as stated below next to our names.

We believe we are the original, first, and joint inventors of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **AUTOGENOUS** LYMPHOCYTIC FACTOR FOR MODIFICATION OF T AND B LYMPHOCYTE **PARAMETERS**, the specification for which is filed herewith.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims.

We acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a).

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, § 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed: None.

We hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 16715CIP

Title 35, United States Code, § 112, we acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application: International Patent Application Serial No. PCT/US96/01205, filed January 30, 1996 (designating and electing the United States, now abandoned), which was a continuation of U.S. Application Serial No. 08/380,063 filed January 30, 1995, now abandoned.

We hereby declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under § 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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